PTO/SB/22 (03-09)

Approved for use through 04/30/2009. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Docket Number (Optional)	
FY 2009 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)			C2432.0069	
			Filed	lulu 2, 2007
Application Number 10/598,114-Conf. #1212			Filed July 3, 2007	
For CARRYING OUT THE METHOD  METHOD OF TREATING AND DIAGNOSING SLEEP DISORDERED BREATHING AND MEANS FOR				
Art Unit	1617		Examiner	S. Javanmard
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.				
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):				
· –	_	<u>Fee</u>	Small Entity Fee	
	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$130	\$65	\$
	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$490	\$245	\$
	X Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1110	\$555	\$ 1,110.00
	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1730	\$865	\$
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2350	\$1175	\$
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.				
A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.				
X Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.				
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to				
Deposit Account Number 50-2215				
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.				
I am the applicant/inventor.				
assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.				
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).				
	attorney or agent of record. Regi	stration Number	24,735	
attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.				
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34				
Edward 6 Merlin			May 18, 2009	
Signature				)ate
Edward A. Meilman			(212) 277-6520	
Typed or printed name			Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.				
Total of forms are submitted.				